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Annual Report

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Municipal Officers

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TOWN OF

LIMERICK

MAINE

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 20, 1941

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NOTICE

This report is submitted subject to an audit by a qualified public accountant, in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 216, Public Laws of Maine, 1937.

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Town Officers

Moderators

ARTHUR L. HAYES EVERETT S. KNIGHT

Town Clerk

LOUISA D. SWASEY

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

JOHN HENRY SMITH

FORREST W. CARPENTER

MARK L. BURNHAM

Treasurer

HUBERT GATH

Superintending School Committee

HARRIET W. WHITTAKER

ROBERT W. PARKIN

DR. LESTER W. CARPENTER

Constable and Collector

BYRON S. ANDERSON

Auditor

ABBIE W. SEILER

Superintendent of Schools

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Road Commissioner

FRANK J. FOSS

Health Officer

DR. L. W. CARPENTER

Sealer of Weights and Measures

BERNARD CARROLL

Fire Chief

JOHN L. MORRILL

Augusta, Maine, June 26, 1940

To The Inhabitants Of The Town Of Limerick:

This is to certify that this department, represented by Mr. M. W. Bragdon, has completed an audit of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended February 20, 1940.

Our report was prepared from your town records and, to the best of our knowledge and belief, properly reflects the true financial condition of your municipality as of the above date. A mail verification was not made of any of the asset and liability accounts.

The schedules contained in this report are as follows:

- Comparative Balance Sheet.
- Proof of Change in Net Debt.
- Report of Treasurer.
- Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash.
- Summary of Overdraft and Unexpended Balances.
- 1939 Valuation and Commitment.
- 1939 Abatements.
- Uncollected Taxes.
- Tax Deeds.
- Accounts Receivable—Accounts Payable.
- Notes Payable—Bonded Debt.
- Statement of Appropriation Accounts.

Also included with this report, you will find Reconciliation of All Accounts and Journal Entries.

We wish to thank your town officials for their cooperation during the course of this audit.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD E. CRAWFORD,

Municipal Auditor.

Note: This Report of Audit is in the hands of the Selectmen, and may be examined by anyone wishing to do so.

Warrant

YORK, SS

STATE OF MAINE

Byron S. Anderson, a Constable in the Town of Limerick,
in said County, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Limerick, qualified to vote in the town affairs, to assemble at the Town House on the tenth day of March, 1941, at eight-thirty o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

1st. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

2nd. To elect, by secret ballot, a town clerk, three selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, a town treasurer, an auditor of accounts, a constable and collector of taxes, a road commissioner for the ensuing year, and one member of the school committee for three years, as provided for in Section 40, Chapter 5, of the Revised Statutes of 1930. The polls for the election of officers, as hereinbefore specified, shall be opened at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at one o'clock in the afternoon.

3rd. To see if the town will vote to accept the annual report of its municipal officers as submitted in the printed report.

4th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for elementary and secondary schools, including teachers' wages and board, fuel, janitor's service, conveyance, tuition, board of pupils, textbooks, reference books, and school supplies for desk and laboratory use.

Recommendation: \$8,900.00

5th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for insurance and maintenance of the school building for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$500.00

- 6th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$3,700.00

7th. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$642.90 for the patrol maintenance of the State and State Aid Highways, and additional unimproved highways, for the ensuing year as prescribed in the Patrol Law.

Recommendation: \$642.90

8th. To see what sum the town will raise and appropriate for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.

Recommendation: \$533.00

9th. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$781.00 for maintenance of the improved sections on third class highways, or to be used in conjunction with the State apportionment for the construction of third class highways, in accordance with the provisions of Section 44 and 46 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1930, as amended by Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.

Recommendation: \$781.00

10th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for the cutting of trees, bushes and shrubs, as required under Section 43 to 47 inclusive, of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1930.

Recommendation: \$500.00

11th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for the ordinary repair of highways for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$1,000.00

12th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for breaking down snow for the winter of 1940-41.

Recommendation: \$1,200.00

13th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for the repair of bridges for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$200.00

14th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise to continue the footpath from Maple Street to Main Street.

Recommendation: \$100.00

15th. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$300.00 to gravel and tarvia the road leading from the Cornish Road to the residence of Arthur H. Carpenter.

16th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen or road commissioner to straighten and improve the grade in the hill in front of and near the dwelling house of N. Lois Knight, and raise a sum of money for the same.

17th. To see if the town will vote for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan or loans for the use of the Town of Limerick, to pay for breaking down snow during the winter of 1941-42. Such loans to be paid out of money raised by taxation during the municipal year beginning March, 1942, and ending February 20, 1943; to authorize and direct the town treasurer to borrow from time to time a sum or sums not exceeding \$1,000.00, and to execute and deliver a note or notes of the town therefor, signed in his official capacity as treasurer, and countersigned by the selectmen. All of said notes or any renewal or replacement thereof shall be payable on or before February 20, 1943.

18th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for the services of the County Health Nursing Service.

Recommendation: \$100.00

19th. To see if the town will vote to instruct its selectmen to contract with the Central Maine Power Company for street lights for the ensuing year and raise the sum of \$756.00 to pay for same.

Recommendation: \$756.00

20th. To see what sum the town will vote and raise for the supplies and expenses of the Limerick Fire Department.

Recommendation: \$800.00

21st. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$1,200.00 to pay hydrant rental for the ensuing year, as per contract with the Central Maine Power Company.

Recommendation: \$1,200.00

22nd. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$50.00 for Memorial Day purposes.

Recommendation: \$50.00

23rd. To see what sum the town will vote and raise for spraying the shade trees on the highways.

Recommendation: \$150.00

24th. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to purchase bonding securities for the town officials in cases so required by law.

Recommendation: Yes.

25th. To see if the town will vote to authorize the officers to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purpose of paying obligations of the town; such loan or loans to be paid during the current municipal year out of money raised during said current year by taxes.

Recommendation: \$18,000.00

26th. To see what sum, if any, the town will vote and raise for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Section 82, Chapter 5, of the Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930, said sum to be expended under the direction of the State of Maine Publicity Bureau.

Recommendation: Dispense.

27th. To see if the town will raise the sum of \$200.00 for blister rust control, in cooperation with the State Forest Service and United States Department of Agriculture.

Recommendation. Dispense.

28th. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$1,000.00, and \$30.00 for interest to retire the note of George C. Libby Heirs on or before February 20, 1942.

Recommendation: \$1,030.00

29th. To see what wages the town will instruct the selectmen to pay for labor on town roads during the ensuing year, what rate per day for a one and one-half yard truck, what rate per day for a two-yard truck, what rate per day for a team, what rate per hour to pay operator of snowplow, what rate per hour to pay wingmen during the ensuing year.

30th. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$1,000.00 to retire the "Refunding Bonds of 1935" which mature on May 1, 1941.

Recommendation: \$1,000.00

31st. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of \$420.00 to pay interest on the "Refunding Bonds of 1935" Nos. 27 to 37, inclusive, and Nos. 39 to 46, inclusive, which interest is due and payable May 1st and November 1st of the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$420.00

32nd. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen on the behalf of the town to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Recommendation: Yes.

33rd. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and tax collector to apply the "Alternative Method of Enforcing the Collection of Real Estate Taxes" as provided for in the amendment to Public Laws of 1933, Chapter 244, Page 1, namely, by enforcement of a lien instead of a tax deed.

Recommendation: Yes.

34th. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen on behalf of the town to sell and dispose of any real and personal estate acquired by the town.

35th. To see what action the town will take in regard to a budget committee for 1941.

36th. To see what action the town will take in regard to moving pictures on Sundays, under the provisions of Section 39H, Chapter 255, Public Laws of 1939.

37th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for the salaries of its municipal officers for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$1,100.00

38th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for incidentals for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: Apply \$900.00 from
Excise Taxes.

39th. To see what sum of money the town will vote and raise for insurance and maintenance of the town hall buildings for the ensuing year.

Recommendation: \$150.00

40th. To see what action the town will take in regard to the overdrawn accounts.

41st. To see if the town will authorize the auditor to transfer any unexpended balances of the various appropriations made at this annual town meeting to such accounts as may be necessary at the close of the municipal year.

42nd. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to appoint all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Dated at Limerick, Maine, this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1941.

JOHN H. SMITH,

FORREST W. CARPENTER,

MARK L. BURNHAM,

Selectmen of Limerick, Maine.

Selectmen's Report

At the annual town meeting held March 11, 1940, the town voted to raise the following amounts:

Schools,	\$9,150.00	
Maintenance of schools,	400.00	
Support of poor,	3,500.00	
Patrol maintenance,	642.90	
State aid highway,	533.00	
Third class maintenance,	727.00	
Cutting bushes,	500.00	
Repair of town highways,	1,000.00	
Repair of bridges,	50.00	
Removal of snow, 1939-40,	1,200.00	
County health nurse,	100.00	
Street lights,	756.00	
Fire department,	600.00	
Hydrants,	1,200.00	
Memorial services,	50.00	
George Libby, note,	1,000.00	
Retiring bonds,	1,000.00	
Interest on bonds,	455.00	
Salaries,	1,100.00	
Incidentals,	500.00	
Maintenance of town hall,	150.00	
Overdraft on 1939 poor account,	1,423.65	
Total,		\$26,037.55
To apply on overdraft of 1939 poor account:		
Money due from State,	\$153.88	
Money due from Portland,	80.50	
Money due from Skowhegan,	20.44	
Money due from Isabel Brown		
Estate,	418.75	
Money from Excise Tax,	\$520.00	
		\$1,193.57
		\$24, 843.98

State tax,	4,575.62
County tax,	1,143.12
Overlay,	1,160.06

Total commitment,	\$31,722.78
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The above amount was raised as follows:

267 polls at \$3.00 each,	\$ 801.00	
Valuation, \$524,098.00 at .059,	30,921.78	
		<hr/> \$31,722.78

VALUATION SUMMARY

Land,	\$125,177.00	
Buildings,	330,925.00	
40 horses and mules,	1,690.00	
166 cows,	3,690.00	
10 oxen,	520.00	
37 three-year-olds,	711.00	
46 two-year-olds,	685.00	
1,180 domestic fowls,	590.00	
Stock in trade,	6,100.00	
26 musical instruments,	910.00	
20 gasoline pumps,	1,500.00	
Materials in stock,	23,000.00	
Lumber,	9,800.00	
Logs,	1,000.00	
Portable mills,	300.00	
Central Maine Power Company,		
other property,	17,500.00	
		<hr/> \$524,098.00

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

At a special town meeting held on May 10, 1940 at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, the following article was acted upon:

To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct its selectmen to borrow from time to time during the current municipal year an additional \$5,000.00, making a sum not exceeding in the aggregate \$20,000 (being an amount not in excess of the tax levy for the preceding

municipal year) for the purpose of paying obligations of the town when the same shall become due, upon temporary loans in anticipation of taxes in the current municipal year, and to execute and negotiate for such loan or loans a note or notes of the town signed by the selectmen and town treasurer, payable on or before February 20, 1941, (being within the current municipal year) out of money raised by taxes during said current municipal year.

It was moved, seconded and voted that the selectmen be authorized and instructed to borrow the \$5,000 as stated in the warrant.

TOWN FARM FUND

Amount impounded in Fidelity Trust	
Company savings account No. 1970,	\$117.14

EXCISE TAX FUND

Balance after 1939 transfer to support of poor,	\$520.86
Excise tax collected before February 20, 1940,	500.00
1940 excise tax collected after February 20, 1940,	801.09
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Total excise tax available,	\$1,821.95
1939 transfer to support of poor,	520.00
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	\$1,301.95
1940 loan to snow account,	800.00
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	\$501.95
-1941 excise tax collected before February 20,	
1941	518.24
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	\$1,020.19
Tax Collectors' commission,	60.00
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	\$960.19
1940 loan to incidentals and support of poor,	929.43
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Balance on hand,	\$30.76

FINANCIAL STANDING

ASSETS

Funds impounded in Fidelity Trust Co., checking account,	\$ 920.99
Funds impounded in Fidelity Trust Co., town farm savings acct.,	117.14
Cash in general treasury,	44.31
Teachers' retirement fund,	34.95
Henry Martell or Frank Stuart,	57.31
Maintenance of schools,	18.37
School fund,	1.64
Maintenance of third class highway,	231.58
Excise tax fund on hand,	30.76
Patrol maintenance,	165.82
Due from Town of Skowhegan, account Adolph Vigue,	55.44
Martha Ann Carroll farm,	1,000.00
Vesta Walker, house and lot,	823.57
Woodman Chapman, wood lot,	300.00
Albert J. Sedgerly, due from estate,	2,344.48
Tax liens, citizens of Limerick,	508.76
Tax Deeds, citizens of Limerick,	4,286.61
Due from Frank Johnson, hire of pumper,	50.00
Due from Town of Limington, hire of pumper,	100.00
Due from Howard Blake, hire of pumper,	100.00
Due from Byron S. Anderson, collector, account of 1940 tax commitment,	61.33
Due from Joseph J. Goss, collector:	
Account of 1939 tax commitment,	53.24
Account of 1938 tax commitment,	119.00
Account of 1937 tax commitment,	107.02
Account of 1936 tax commitment,	21.34
Account of 1935 tax commitment,	100.16
Account of 1934 tax commitment,	61.97
Account of 1933 tax commitment,	67.09
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	\$11,782.88

LIABILITIES

Refunding bonds of 1935 issued to date,	\$12,500.00
Outstanding tax anticipation notes,	7,000.00
Teachers' retirement fund,	35.95
George Libby note,	1,000.00
Cash in general treasury,	44.31
Henry Martell or Frank Stuart,	57.31
Maintenance of third class highway,	231.38
Patrol maintenance,	165.82
Excise tax on hand,	30.76
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	\$21,065.53

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. SMITH,

FORREST W. CARPENTER,

MARK L. BURNHAM,

Selectmen of Limerick.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand:

General Fund,	\$57.05
Teachers' Retirement Fund,	17.10
Henry Martell or Frank Stuart,	57.31
Refunding Bond Coupons,	140.00
Maintenance of Third Class Highway,	75.96
Patrol Maintenance,	156.62
Excise Tax,	.86
	<hr/> \$504.90

Highways

From State Treasurer:

Reimbursement snow payroll,	\$1,358.52
State Aid Snow Removal,	174.68
Maintenance Unimproved Roads,	649.41
Third Class Highways,	1,603.96
Highway Snow Account,	174.68
State Aid Highway,	1,054.95
Special Resolve,	846.54
	<hr/> \$5,862.74

Woodman Chapman Account

From Fidelity Trust Company,	
liquidating dividend,	\$87.11
From Selectmen, auction at	
Woodman Chapman's,	496.65
From Jack W. Jordan, sale of	
buildings,	760.00
	<hr/> \$1,343.76

Support of Poor

From City of Portland, Fred Southworth,	\$80.50
From City of Portland, Tuttle Family,	35.00
From Alfred Martell,	11.00
From Kenneth Furlong,	6.31
From State Treasurer, for Earle Nelson,	84.17

From State Treasurer for Earle Nelson,	30.00
From State Treasurer for Earle Nelson,	78.00
From State Treasurer for James DiMezza,	42.88
From State Treasurer for Leroy Rand,	50.00
From Donat Labonte,	10.00
From Town of Cornish for Harry Guilmett,	23.00
From Mrs. Eveleen Tuttle,	5.00
From J. H. Smith, account of Yvonne Theriault,	2.00
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	\$457.86

Excise Tax

From Joseph J. Goss, 1940 Excise Tax,	\$318.31
From Byron S. Anderson, 1940 Excise Tax,	457.88
From Byron S. Anderson, 1941 Excise Tax,	501.14
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	\$1,277.33

1940 Taxes

From Byron S. Anderson,	\$31,079.38
From Byron S. Anderson, supplemental tax,	33.00
From Byron S. Anderson, 1940 tax abatements,	71.07
From Byron S. Anderson, Tax Liens,	508.76
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	\$31,692.21

1937 Taxes

From Joseph J. Goss,	\$9.40
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1938 Taxes

From Joseph J. Goss,	\$4.20
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1939 Taxes

From Joseph J. Goss,	3.35
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Teachers' Retirement Fund

From Helen L. Watson,	\$35.15
From Annie E. Ferguson,	15.00
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	\$50.15

Rent of Town Hall

From Clarence Wales,	\$88.50	
From Leavitt Insurance Agency, dividend,	10.70	
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1939-40 Dog Taxes

From Louisa D. Swasey, 1939,	\$ 10.00	
From Louisa D. Swasey, 1940,	185.00	
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1940 Tax Anticipation Notes

From Selectmen and Treasurer,	\$19,000.00
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Tax Deeds

From Reginald Curtis,	\$64.11	
From Daniel Chadbourne,	7.70	
From Louis Boucher,	32.02	
From George Labee,	11.87	
Charles H. Whitney,	32.00	
Nettie M. Garey,	31.67	
From Henry Allen,	20.00	
From Cecil E. Sadler,	280.81	
	<hr/>	\$480.18

Tax Liens

From Franklin B. Hayes,	\$60.92	
From State Treasurer for Bank Stock Tax,	180.46	
Form State Treasurer for School Fund,	1,411.50	
From State Treasurer for Railroad and Telegraph Tax,	27.60	
From State Tar Commission, telephone call,	.30	
From Selectmen from A. J. Sedgley Estate,	20.00	
From Selectmen for licenses,	1.25	
From Frank D. Fenderson, from Isabell K. Brown Estate,	418.75	
	<hr/>	\$63,101.06

Payments

Orders drawn,	\$62,468.95
State Treasurer, reimbursement Third	
Class Account,	47.37
Cash in general treasury,	44.31
Teachers' Retirement Fund,	34.95
Henry Martell,	57.31
Maintenance of Schools,	18.37
Schools,	1.64
Maintenance of Third Class Highway,	231.58
Excise Tax,	30.76
Patrol Maintenance,	162.82
	————— \$63,101.06

Respectfully submitted,

HUBERT GATH,

Treasurer.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Teachers

Frances S. Tufts,	\$703.00	
Flora E. Perrin,	703.00	
Helen L. Watson,	703.00	
Alice R. Durgin,	703.00	
Rose M. Moulton,	589.00	
Helen M. Dolley,	217.00	
Harriet W. Whittaker,	114.00	
		<hr/> \$3,732.00

Janitors

Alton G. Johnston,	\$500.00	
Charles Dudley,	20.00	
Alfred Martell,	16.00	
James Gordon,	12.00	
		<hr/> \$548.00

Conveyance

Alice R. Durgin,	\$185.00	
John King,	925.00	
George Taylor,	620.00	
Amelia Swasey,	388.50	
Samuel Taylor,	120.00	
		<hr/> \$2,238.50

Fuel

Lloyd Gilpatrick,	\$ 3.00	
A. R. Wright Co.,	100.00	
H. W. Hill, hauling,	40.00	
		<hr/> \$143.00

Textbooks

L. S. Beale,	\$ 8.00	
Scott, Foresman & Co.,	23.69	
Ginn & Co.,	44.17	
Education Safety League,	19.75	
C. C. Birchard & Co.,	2.28	
The Macmillan Co.,	18.70	
World Book Co.,	16.59	
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	1.50	
		<hr/> \$134.68

Supplies

The Pioneer Mfg. Co.,	\$14.47	
Alton Johnston,	8.50	
Perry Paper Co.,	7.75	
The Papercrafters,	25.00	
The Holmerden Co.,	12.00	
C. B. Dolge Co.,	5.69	
Howard & Brown,	5.95	
Central Maine Power Co.,	3.68	
E. A. Sadler, Inc.,	15.28	
Maynard Wright,	2.42	
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	4.52	
Ginn & Co.,	4.26	
Milton Bradley Co.,	2.00	
Glenn W. Starkey,	9.07	
Glover Products,	4.00	
Dr. L. W. Carpenter,	2.50	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	2.80	
Maine Public Health Association,	.50	
Ernest Knight,	1.50	
H. H. Hayes,	2.40	
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		\$134.29
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	21.35	
Central Maine Power Co., light and water,	40.96	
Amos Barraclough, freight,	2.07	
LeRoi S. Syphers, insurance,	68.59	
Melville Woodman, Inc., insurance,	4.49	
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		\$7,067.93

HIGH SCHOOL

Teachers

Dwight L. Libby,	\$1,733.16	
Annie E. Ferguson,	975.00	
Helen M. Dolley,	49.00	
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		\$2,757.16

Janitor

Alton Johnston,	\$300.00
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Fuel

A. R. Wright Co.,	\$89.94	
H. W. Hill, hauling,	36.05	
	<hr/>	\$125.99

Textbooks

L. S. Beale,	\$ 5.00	
Lorenz Publishing Co.,	9.76	
Funk & Wagnalls Co.,	5.30	
News Map of the Week,	15.00	
Lyons & Carnahan,	10.49	
Ginn & Co.,	34.74	
Allyn & Bacon,	23.80	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	2.08	
Times,	3.75	
Educational Service Bureau,	8.08	
Macmillan Co.,	1.36	
	<hr/>	\$119.36

Supplies

Clifton Chemical Co.,	\$ 5.75	
Alton Johnston,	3.84	
Berry Paper Co.,	5.00	
The Papercrafters,	18.37	
The Holmerdey Co.,	8.00	
C. B. Dolge Co.,	1.00	
Roberts Office Supply Co.,	10.00	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	11.44	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	14.05	
E. A. Sadler Co.,	2.29	
Edward E. Babb,	1.65	
Milton Bradley Co.,	.93	
Kinney & Frost Inc.,	3.75	
Ginn & Co.,	1.64	
The Glover Products,	2.00	
Dr. L. W. Carpenter,	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$91.71
Central Maine Power Company, light and water,	20.65	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	21.40	
Amos Barraclough, freight,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,437.27

Maintenance of Schools

LeRoi S. Syphers, insurance,	\$283.33
Warren & Gatchell, tuning piano,	3.50
E. A. Sadler Inc., supplies,	4.33
L. E. Kendall, valve,	2.00

Repairs:

E. A. Sadler,	4.13
C. F. Dudley,	12.00
L. E. Kendall Co.,	5.65
A. G. Johnston,	2.50
L. C. Andrew,	5.04
C. B. Dolge Co.,	26.00
Burgess Fobes Co.,	2.88

Total,	<hr/>	\$351.36
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TOWN HIGHWAYS

Labor:

Frank Foss,	\$161.50
Alton Woodsome,	.88
Ralph Woodsome,	.88
Charles Smith,	.88
Herbert Sanborn,	.88
Ralph Cobb,	33.78
Harry Treadwell,	20.83
Edwin Watson,	35.18
John Treadwell,	25.03
Winifred Griffith,	19.43
Orman Hartford,	3.15
Warren Chamberlain,	.70
Everett Allen,	4.90
Herbert Sawyer,	.18
James Gordon,	.18
Peter LePage,	.18
Robert Boucher,	2.45
Kenneth Furlong,	28.35
Samuel Taylor,	1.05

Wilfred Racicot,	11.20
Fernand Racicot,	14.00
Abraham Roy,	5.60
Herman LePage,	5.60
Leroy Rand,	4.73
Joseph Carroll,	5.60
Joseph Martell,	2.80
Fred Martell,	5.60
John Woodsome,	11.20
Louis Boucher,	11.38
Edwin Lord,	5.60
Andre Morin,	5.78
Gerard Morin,	2.45
Leon Kendall, Jr.,	5.78
Asa Libby,	5.60
Harry Guilmett,	7.00
Walter Ricker,	2.80
Frank Norton,	7.00
Amos Barraclough,	2.80
Christopher Lessard,	9.80
Clifton Tufts,	1.40
Oscar Gilpatrick,	2.80
John Gammon,	5.95
Ernest Hallett,	8.40
Alfred Racicot,	11.20
James Dobson,	2.80
Mell Philpot,	2.80
Byron Anderson,	2.80
Justin Sawyer,	2.80
Donald Young,	2.80
Charles Kallock,	2.80
Harold McEwen,	2.80
Trucks:	
H. W. Hill,	180.65
Reuben Young,	45.00
Clarence Day,	45.00
Howard Day,	37.69
Armand Langlois,	54.00
Henry Martell,	29.44

Clifton Tufts,	33.53	
Gravel:		
H. K. Tibbetts,	2.00	
W. W. Plaisted,	3.60	
Asa Libby,	4.10	
Rufus Allen,	4.00	
Gilpatrick-Sadler,	41.30	
George Lane,	5.50	
John Ricker,	.40	
Ralph Dunnell, thawing culverts,	6.60	
Limerick Cash Store, dynamite,	2.57	
H. W. Hill, truck hire,	5.00	
H. W. Hill, gasoline and oil,	1.75	
E. A. Sadler Inc, rockpickers,	5.37	
E. A. Sadler Inc., twine,	.25	
Edwin Lord, horse team,	2.63	
Kopper Company, tarvia,	27.50	
Winslow Company, pipe,	10.08	
Leon Kendall, repair of road machine,	12.08	
Meserve's Express,	1.99	
F. A. Gilpatrick, repairs on road machine,	11.25	
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Total,		\$1,095.36

CUTTING BUSHES

Labor:	
Frank Foss,	\$100.75
Harry Treadwell,	34.48
Byron Anderson,	33.60
Kenneth Furlong,	14.00
Kenneth Libby,	11.20
Ralph Cobb,	26.08
Justin Sawyer,	5.60
Earle Nelson,	5.60
Ernest Hallett,	26.60
Wilfred Racicot,	5.60
Louis Boucher,	5.60

Arthur Tufts,	20.48	
Edwin Watson,	24.33	
John Woodsome,	11.20	
Andrew Philpot,	33.60	
Clifton Tufts,	33.60	
Ralph Woodsome,	5.60	
Walter Ricker,	2.80	
Frank Norton,	18.20	
Charles Kallock,	11.20	
M. L. Burnham,	9.45	
Bennett Staples,	8.40	
Trucks:		
Walter Dolley,	3.38	
Clifton Tufts,	3.38	
Supplies:		
Ernest A. Sadler, Inc.—scythe,	1.50	
whetstone,	.25	
		<hr/> \$456.48

BRIDGES

Labor:		
Frank Foss,	\$22.75	
Wilfred Racicot,	.70	
Arthur Tufts,	2.10	
Harry Treadwell,	2.10	
Ralph Cobb,	2.10	
Edwin Watson,	2.10	
Frank Norton,	1.40	
Reuben Young,	4.50	
M. L. Burnham,	2.10	
Trucks:		
Reuben Young,	14.07	
Amos Barraclough,	2.88	
H. W. Hill,	2.45	
Supplies:		
E. A. Sadler, Inc.—nails,	1.11	
Dennis Johnson Co.,	103.62	
Frank Norton,	1.50	
M. L. Burnham,	3.00	
		<hr/> \$168.48

STATE AID HIGHWAY

Labor:

M. L. Burnham,	\$24.00
Earle Nelson,	16.80
Preston Haycock, Jr.,	2.80
Louis Boucher,	16.80
Herbert Sawyer,	23.80
Herman LePage,	23.80
Donald Young,	5.60
Kenneth Furlong,	23.80
Peter LePage,	7.00
Wilfred Racicot,	9.80
J. H. Smith,	16.00
Kenneth Libby,	7.00
Christopher Lessard,	7.00
M. L. Burnham,	11.60
Andrew Philpot,	9.80

Trucks:

H. W. Hill,	83.30
Henry Martell,	94.50
Clifton Tufts,	81.00
Howard Day,	63.00
Clarence Day,	79.88
Reuben Young,	76.50
Armand Langlois,	63.00
F. A. Gilpatrick,	58.50
J. H. Smith,	12.00
Earle Nelson,	2.80
Herbert Sawyer,	8.40
Kenneth Libby,	8.40
Peter LePage,	8.40
Kenneth Furlong,	8.40
Herman LePage,	8.40
Henry Leland,	7.00
Christopher Lessard,	4.20
John H. Lessard,	2.80
Amos Barraclough, trucking,	1.50

Gravel:		
F. A. Gilpatrick,	132.30	
Shovel Helper:		
Andre Morin,	25.20	
Shovel Operator:		
Harley Staples,	43.20	
Shovel:		
Beal & Staples,	187.20	
Supplies:		
Bancroft & Martin Rolling Mills,	214.21	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co—Cable		
Posts, Supplies,	108.26	
Total,		\$1,587.95

THIRD CLASS HIGHWAY

Labor:	
J. H. Smith,	\$76.25
M. L. Burnham,	31.68
James Gordon,	45.68
Peter LePage,	36.05
Herbert Sawyer,	30.28
Earle Nelson,	30.28
John Treadwell,	44.28
Herman LePage,	27.48
Kenneth Libby,	38.50
Louis Boucher,	21.88
Wilfred Racicot,	28.88
Preston Haycock, Jr.,	9.28
Leroy Rand,	14.00
Preston Gilpatrick, Jr.,	11.55
Amos Barraclough,	5.60
Leon Morin,	2.80
Asa Libby,	2.80
Harold McEwen,	2.80
Alphonse Blais,	2.80

Trucks:

F. A. Gilpatrick,	127.13
H. W. Hill,	17.76
Clifton Tufts,	79.32
Howard Day,	83.82
Reuben Young,	66.94
Henry Martell,	46.13
Clarence Day,	66.94

Gravel:

F. A. Gilpatrick—E. A. Sadler Inc.	168.00
Asa Libby,	3.30

Shovel Helper:

Andre Morin,	24.68
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Tarvia:

State Highway Commission,	200.11
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Shovel Operator,

Harley Staples,	43.80
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Shovel:

Beal & Staples,	189.80
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Supplies:

N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,	167.37
Limerick Cash Store—paint etc.,	5.40
Moses C. Webster—9 posts,	2.25
F. A. Gilpatrick—plank,	1.08

 \$1,756.70

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Labor:

Frank Foss,	\$49.00
Forrest Gilpatrick,	1.93
Oscar Gilpatrick,	1.40
William Gilpatrick,	.70
Warren Chamberlain,	1.23
Amos Barraclough,	7.00
Kenneth Furlong,	4.20
Louis Boucher,	9.98
Ralph Cobb,	14.00
Armand Langlois,	11.20

Harry Treadwell,	11.73
Wilfred Racicot,	13.48
Harry Guilmett,	4.20
Ernest Hallett,	7.70
Justin Sawyer,	7.70
Earle Nelson,	7.70
Alfred Racicot,	7.70

Trucks:

Clarence Day,	43.88
H. W. Hill,	20.75
Clifton Tufts,	14.70
Henry Martell,	9.80
Mattie Day,	24.75

Gravel:

Asa Libby,	.50
George Lane,	1.80
H. K. Tibbetts,	7.20

Supplies:

Koppers Co.,	44.00
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Tarvia:

State Highway Commission,	224.73
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 Total,

\$552.96

SPECIAL RESOLVE

Labor:

J. H. Smith,	\$61.00
Kenneth Furlong,	39.90
Herman LePage,	42.70
Kenneth Libby,	42.70
Christopher Lessard,	22.75
Leon Morin,	7.00
Herbert Sawyer,	23.80
M. L. Burnham,	2.00
Andrew Philpot,	1.40

Trucks:

H. W. Hill,	70.44
Henry Martell,	82.69
F. A. Gilpatrick,	60.76
Clarence Day,	43.31
Armand Langlois,	43.31
Clifton Tufts,	43.88

Shovel Helper:

Andre Morin,	21.53
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Shovel Operator:

Harley Staples,	36.90
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Shovel:

Beal and Staples,	159.90
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Supplies:

N. E. Metal Culvert Co—culvert,	40.57
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Total,

 \$846.54

UNIMPROVED HIGHWAYS

Labor:

J. H. Smith,	\$43.00
Herbert Sanborn,	16.80
James Gordon,	30.10
Ralph Cobb,	14.00
Kenneth Libby,	29.93
Peter LePage,	30.10
Earle Nelson,	29.93
Leroy Rand,	30.10
Christopher Lessard, Jr.,	16.80
Asa Libby,	28.53
Austin Wyman,	28.53
George LePage,	11.20
George Carroll,	5.60
Kenneth Furlong,	16.98
M. L. Burnham,	10.33
Christopher Lessard, Sr.,	11.73
Herbert Sawyer,	13.30

Trucks:

H. W. Hill,	100.45
Henry Martell,	96.75
Howard Day,	42.75

Gravel:

Rufus Allen,	29.10
G. W. Lane,	6.10
Robert Libby,	7.30

 Total,

\$649.41

SNOW REMOVAL**From March 2, 1940 to May 31, 1940**

Driving Plow:

David Patterson, Jr.,	\$42.75
Willie Norton,	48.00

Wingmen:

Alfred Martell,	22.75
Edwin Lord,	45.50
Orman Hartford,	17.87
Henry Martell,	20.00
Staples and Beal,	14.70

Plowing:

Staples and Beal,	189.00
Limerick Yarn Mills,	118.00
Harry W. Hill,	107.10
Henry Martell,	1.50

Trucks Sanding:

Reuben Young,	7.32
Henry Martell,	3.94
Preston Gilpatrick,	7.87
Harry Hill,	3.94
Howard Day,	6.76
Lloyd Gilpatrick,	2.81

Labor Sanding:

Frank Foss,	8.75
Kenneth Furlong,	1.23
Warren Chamberlain,	1.23

Kenneth Libby,	2.28
William Gilpatrick,	5.43
Asa Libby,	4.73
Preston Gilpatrick, Jr.,	.88
Oliver Libby,	1.05
Forrest Gilpatrick,	1.05
Frank Brown,	1.23
Orman Hartford,	1.23
Ralph Cobb,	1.05
Oscar Gilpatrick,	.88
Leslie Gilpatrick,	.88
Sand:	
Asa Libby,	2.40
Shovelling Snow:	
Frank Foss,	22.75
William Gilpatrick,	.70
Kenneth Libby,	.70
Abraham Roy,	.70
Mark Burnham,	7.70
Stanley Haskell,	12.78
Arthur Lessard,	14.71
George LePage,	.70
Alton Woodsome,	5.60
Warren Chamberlain,	1.40
Kenneth Furlong,	.35
Ralph Cobb,	3.68
Edwin Watson,	8.75
Samuel Taylor,	1.40
Herman LePage,	8.75
Forrest Gilpatrick,	8.75
Lloyd Gilpatrick,	1.40
Leslie Gilpatrick,	1.40
Preston Gilpatrick,	1.40
William Aspinall,	1.40
Preston Gilpatrick, Jr.,	1.40
Repairing Tractor:	
Eastern Tractor and Equipment Co.,	
parts,	109.96
L. E. Kendall Co., parts,	18.75

Leon E. Kendall, labor,	7.00	
Henry Martell, labor,	1.50	
Limerick Yarn Mills, parts,	1.88	
Repairing Tractor House:		
George B. Moulton, lumber,	5.92	
E. A. Sadler, Inc., bolts,	.63	
Burgess, Fobes, paint,	4.08	
Charles Dudley, labor,	27.50	
George Colby, labor,	24.50	
Cleaning Culverts:		
Frank Foss,	9.50	
Kenneth Furlong,	2.98	
Ralph Cobb,	4.73	
Herbert Sanborn,	1.75	
Chester Giles,	10.00	
Shovelling Hydrants:		
Stanley Haskell,	6.81	
Gasoline and Oil:		
Limerick Cash Store,	14.83	
Harry W. Hill,	54.87	
L. E. Kendall Co.,	24.59	
Provencher's Nation Wide Store,	10.67	
Supplies:		
Limerick Cash Store, shovel,	.75	
E. A. Sadler, Inc., shovels and red cloth,	1.84	
Snow Fences:		
Frank Foss, labor,	2.00	
Amos Barraclough, truck,	4.50	
		\$1,152.07

SNOW REMOVAL

Driving Town Plow:	
David Patterson, Jr.,	\$21.50
William Norton,	51.25
Alfred Martell,	15.75

Plowing:

H.W.Hill,	111.30
Henry Martell,	141.05

Wingmen:

Frank Brown,	9.12
William Norton,	1.93
Warren Chamberlain,	7.35
Alfred Martell,	22.55
Edwin Lord,	38.25
J. H. Smith,	2.10
Ormand Hartford, Jr.,	5.08
George Colby,	.70
Preston Gilpatrick,	9.28
Mark Burnham,	29.28
Fred Martell,	8.05

Gasoline and Oil:

H. W. Hill,	17.26
Adolphe Provencher,	19.59
Limerick Cash Store,	22.14
L. E. Kendall Company,	41.82

Labor, Sanding:

Frank Foss,	72.75
Walter Ricker,	16.11
Kenneth Furlong,	7.36
Charles Kallock,	2.46
William Gilpatrick,	12.96
Warren Chamberlain,	21.17
Ralph Cobb,	8.07
Forrest Gilpatrick,	3.85
Everett Allen,	.70
Neal Gilpatrick,	8.77
Glenn Gilpatrick,	2.63
Thomas Wallace,	5.26
John Woodsome,	.88
Preston Haycock, Jr.,	3.69
Harold McEwen,	11.03
Leon E. Kendall, Jr.,	1.58

Abraham Roy,	1.93
Wilfred Racicot,	7.88
James Dodson,	10.68
Alfred Martell,	1.40
Preston Gilpatrick, Jr.,	1.40
Norman Turley,	1.23
Ernest Hallett,	1.40
Alfred Racicot,	9.10
Percy Lane,	2.28
Asa Libby,	6.84
Harry Gilmett,	2.63
Clarence Storer,	9.81
Alvin Lane,	1.75
John H. Lessard,	2.46
Fred Lane,	1.58
Roland LePage,	1.23
Robert Brackett,	1.23
James Brackett,	1.05
J. H. Smith,	6.00
Martin Tuttle,	.70
Daniel Chadbourne,	.70
Christopher Lessard,	.70
Paul Racicot,	2.10
Kenneth Gilpatrick,	1.40
Trucks, Sanding:	
Reuben Young,	64.15
Armand Langlois,	27.00
Henry Martell,	21.37
Preston Gilpatrick,	54.59
Lloyd Gilpatrick,	4.51
Clarence Day,	21.94
Howard Day,	23.07
H. W. Hill,	42.76
Clifton Tufts,	24.19
Sand:	
Asa Libby,	25.10
Repair of Tractor:	
L. E. Kendall Company, labor and supplies,	143.25

Eastern Tractor and Equipment Company,	121.53
D. W. I. Patterson, Jr., labor,	2.00
Alfred Martell, labor,	5.00
William Norton, labor,	.25
Edwin Lord, labor,	.75
J. H. Smith,	4.00
LaRou Electric Company, magneto	15.85
Leon E. Kendall Company, battery,	9.50
Shovelling hydrants:	
Edward Dennison,	7.00
Supplies:	
E. A. Sadler, Inc., shovels, cloth, tacks,	4.66
Meserve's Express,	.30
W. H. Shurtleff Company, salt,	102.00
LeRoi S. Syphers Agency, insurance,	5.00
Snow Fences:	
Frank Foss,	3.50
Ralph Cobb,	2.45
Clarence Day,	1.13
Herman K. Tibbetts,	5.63
	<hr/> \$1,574.58

SUPPORT OF POOR

Curit children,	\$299.00
Vernon Treadwell,	236.00
Annie Laroche,	240.85
Alfred Martell,	29.26
Herman LePage,	39.26
James Gordon,	16.00
Albert Brulotte,	166.39
Kenneth Furlong,	23.15
Elmer Nason,	207.00
Evelyn Griffith,	11.00
John Treadwell,	23.00
Henry Michel,	22.01

Ida Mercier,	61.99
Lucien Vermette,	72.50
Joseph Lucier,	32.00
Donat Labonte,	10.00
Herminie Bergeron,	18.00
Smith and Treadwell children,	394.20
Ralph Oliver,	37.11
Joseph Carroll,	8.00
Yvonne Theriault,	33.00
Forrest Sanborn,	18.00
Mary Dall,	24.00
George Lane, on account of Annie	
L. Lane,	73.70
Henry Hill,	4.47
John Arsenault,	6.00
George Small,	14.00
Special accounts:	
Martha Carroll,	360.00
Isabelle Brown,	65.00
W. E. Chapman,	782.63
A. J. Sedgley,	820.28
Vesta Walker,	265.15
Soldiers' welfare:	
No. 1 paid to Sanford,	195.85
No. 2,	16.97
No. 3,	8.00
No. 4,	22.30
Mothers' welfare:	
Mrs. Grace Henry,	207.67
Tramps,	69.75
Surplus commodities,	24.56
Account of Earle Nelson,	131.17
Account Adolph Vigue,	35.00
Account of Harry Guilmett,	23.00
Account of Tuttle Family,	35.00
Mrs. Eveleen Tuttle,	5.00
Account of Frank M. Brown,	128.05
Total,	<hr/> \$5,315.27

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND

Treasurer of State of Maine,	\$32.30
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SNOW NOTE

Casco Bank and Trust Company,	\$1,000.00
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STATE TAX

Treasurer of State of Maine,	\$4,575.62
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COUNTY TAX

Treasurer of County of York,	\$1,143.12
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STREET LIGHTS

Central Maine Power Company,	\$752.00
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HYDRANT RENTAL

Central Maine Power Company,	\$1,200.00
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DOG LICENSES

Treasurer of State of Maine,	\$195.00
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PATROL MAINTENANCE

Department of Finance for Old Age Assistance,	\$817.68
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COUNTY HEALTH NURSE

Mrs. Florence Paul,	\$100.00
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REFUNDING BONDS OF 1935

Casco Bank and Trust Company,	\$1,000.00
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INTEREST ON BONDS

Casco Bank and Trust Company,	\$595.00
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GEORGE C. LIBBY ESTATE NOTE

Mrs. Mary Libby,	\$1,000.00
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MEMORIAL DAY

Richard White Post,	\$50.00
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TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES

Casco Bank and Trust Company,	\$12,000.00
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OUTSTANDING TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES

Casco Bank And Trust Company,	\$7,900.00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT

The McCann Corporation,	\$248.57
Blanchard Associates, Inc.,	12.82
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.,	38.00
Buxton Milling Co., kerosene,	64.02
Central Maine Power Co., heating power,	39.81
Central Maine Power Co., siren,	51.00
Hubert Gath, engineer,	100.00
John L. Morrill, fire chief,	100.00
Leon Kendall, repairs,	1.00
Alcide Michel, gasoline and oil,	8.74
H. W. Hill, gasoline and oil,	18.58
Leon Kendall, gasoline and oil,	3.50
Lucien Vermette, watching fires,	1.40
Edwin Lord, watching fires,	2.80
LeRoi S. Syphers, insurance,	175.00
H. W. Hill, spark plugs,	3.00
Limerick Yarn Mills, dry cell batteries,	1.06
Limerick Cash Store,	.25
Kilo Chemical Co.,	10.00
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	\$879.55

MAINTENANCE OF TOWN HALL

Central Maine Power Co., lights,	\$ 53.94
Central Maine Power Co., water,	10.00
Central Maine Power Co., supplies,	2.10
Clarence Wales, janitor,	54.00
H. W. Hill, truck,	9.80
Arthur Lessard, labor,	1.75
Walter Lanoue, cleaning oil burner,	2.50
F. L. Bisbee, fuel,	35.00
Edwin Lord, sawing wood,	5.25
Charles Kallock, sawing wood,	3.50
Gerald Cressey, slabs,	5.00
LeRoi S. Syphers, insurance,	156.22
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	\$339.06

SALARIES

Maynard Wright, superintendent of schools,	\$275.00
Hubert Gath, treasurer,	100.00
Dr. L. W. Carpenter, health officer,	50.00
John H. Smith, selectman,	150.00
Mark L. Burnham, selectman,	100.00
Forrest W. Carpenter, selectman,	100.00
Byron S. Anderson, constable,	25.00
Byron S. Anderson, collecting dog tax,	10.00
Byron S. Anderson, tax liens,	8.50
Byron S. Anderson, posting warrants,	24.00
Byron S. Anderson, tax collector,	125.00
Abbie W. Seiler, auditor,	30.00
Louisa D. Swasey, town clerk,	25.00
Wesley Rand, truant officer,	25.00
Everett Knight, moderator,	10.00
Arthur L. Hayes, moderator,	5.00
Abbie W. Seiler, clerical work,	30.00
	<hr/> \$1,092.50

INCIDENTALS

Chester V. Small, printing town reports,	\$136.80
Chester V. Small, printing ballots,	19.00
Webb-Smith, printing check lists,	16.18
Louisa D. Swasey, preparing ballots,	6.00
Amos Barraclough, express on ballots,	.92
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.,	16.80
Casco Bank & Trust Co., interest,	487.21
Mrs. Mary Libby, interest,	85.00
Byron S. Anderson, tax notices,	5.13
Ballot Clerks:	
Amos Barraclough,	12.00
Andrew Philpot,	15.00
John Burnham,	6.00
Roland Mitchell,	6.00
Forrest Gilpatrick,	13.50
Raymond Michel,	3.00

Fernand Racicot,	3.00
Armand Langlois,	3.00
J. H. Smith,	9.00
M. L. Burnham,	9.00
Leon Morin,	3.00
Everett Mitchell,	3.00
Leon Bisbee,	3.00
Abraham Roy,	3.00
Byron Anderson,	3.00
LeRoi S. Syphers, treasurer collector,	
constable, bonds,	40.00
Supplies:	
Webb-Smith Printing Co.,	28.22
Mark Printing House,	12.70
E. A. Sadler, Inc.,	2.42
Loring, Short, & Harmon,	20.45
A. H. Carpenter,	.74
Burton H. Harmon,	1.43
Casco Bank & Trust Co.,	
printing checks,	4.80
National Used Car Market Report	7.00
Limerick Yarn Mills,	.50
Milton Bradford, quit claim deeds,	4.00
Automobile hire:	
H. W. Hill,	25.00
Hubert Gath,	12.00
J. H. Smith,	29.00
Amos Barraclough,	7.60
Louisa D. Swasey,	5.00
Byron Anderson,	4.00
J. G. Smith, Register of Deeds,	20.00
C. C. Parkard, repair to check writer,	11.50
Dwight L. Moody, repair to adding	
machine,	20.00
A. H. Carpenter, postage,	14.00
Byron Anderson, postage,	10.00
H. W. Hill, gasoline and oil,	28.60
A. Provencher, gasoline and oil,	.84
Abbie Seiler, notary public,	1.25

Zella Wales, typing,	2.00	
Sadie Anderson, preparing tax bills,	10.00	
Dennis Johnson Lumber Co., lumber to repair drag,	2.40	
Amos Barraclough, truck to haul drag,	1.00	
Amos Barraclough, drills sharpened at Wescott,	.80	
State auditor,	53.14	
Maine Municipal Association,	35.00	
Alfred Martell, trimming trees,	7.00	
Lloyd Gilpatrick, truck labor, clearing sidewalk,	13.00	
Asa Libby, labor, clearing sidewalk,	4.20	
Dr. L. W. Carpenter, candles and labor, fumigating,	50.75	
J. H. Smith,	7.00	
William Norton, labor,	7.00	
M. L. Burnham,	3.00	
Louisa D. Swasey, recording births, deaths,	19.75	
Louisa D. Swasey, postage supplies,	4.80	
	<hr/>	\$1,399.43

Auditor's Report

SCHOOLS

Appropriation,	\$9,150.00	
Overdraft for 1939-40,	54.66	
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Available for 1940-41,	\$9,095.34	
State School Fund,	1,411.50	
		<hr/> \$10,506.84
Orders drawn:		
Common schools,	\$6,518.50	
High school,	3,057.16	
Textbooks and supplies,	929.54	
		<hr/> \$10,505.20
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Balance,		\$1.64

MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOLS

Appropriation,	\$400.00	
1939-40 overdraft,	30.27	
		<hr/> \$369.73
Orders drawn,		351.36
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Balance,		\$18.37

PATROL MAINTENANCE

Appropriation,	\$642.90	
Balance from 1939-40,	165.92	
From State Treasurer—snow allotment,	174.68	
		<hr/> \$983.50
*Orders drawn,	\$817.58	
Overpayment,	.10	
		<hr/> \$817.68
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Balance,		\$165.82

Balance

*These orders were drawn for Old Age Assistance, and the balance must be used for same.

REPAIR OF HIGHWAYS

Appropriation,	\$1,000.00	
Orders drawn,	1,095.36	
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Overdraft,		\$95.36

REPAIR OF BRIDGES

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Orders drawn,	168.48	
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Overdraft,		\$118.48

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriation,	\$500.00	
Orders drawn,	456.48	
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Balance,		\$43.52

STATE AID HIGHWAY

Appropriation,	\$ 533.00	
From State Treasurer,	1,066.00	
1939 Balance,	16.03	
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Total available,	\$1,615.03	
Orders drawn,	1,587.95	
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Balance due from State of Maine,		\$27.08

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Appropriation,	\$727.00	
Balance from 1939,	57.54	
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	\$784.54	
Orders drawn,	552.96	
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Balance,		\$231.58

MAINTENANCE UNIMPROVED HIGHWAY

From State Treasurer,	\$652.05	
1939 balance,	2.83	
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	\$654.88	
Orders drawn,	649.41	
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Balance,		\$5.47

THIRD CLASS CONSTRUCTION

From State Treasurer,	\$1,756.70
Orders drawn,	1,756.70

SPECIAL RESOLVE

From State Treasurer,	\$850.00	
1937 balance,	12.07	
1939 balance,	.01	
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	\$862.08	
Cost of engineering,	4.75	
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	\$857.33	
Orders drawn,	846.54	
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Balance due from State of Maine,		\$10.79

SNOW REMOVAL 1939-40

Appropriation,	\$1,200.00	
Unexpended balance—1939,	127.35	
From State of Maine—reimburse-		
ment of payrolls,	1,533.20	
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	\$2,860.55	
Transfer to Old Age Assistance,	174.68	
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		\$2,685.87

Orders drawn from March 2, 1940 to		
May 31, 1940,	\$1,152.07	
Snow breaking orders printed in		
last year's report,	872.65	
	<hr/>	\$2,024.72
Balance,		<hr/> \$661.15

SNOW REMOVAL 1940-41

Orders drawn from Nov. 8, 1940 to		
Feb. 20, 1941,		\$1,574.58
Balance from 1940-41,	\$661.15	
Loan from Excise Tax,	800.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,461.15
Overdraft,		<hr/> \$113.43

RETIRING BONDS

Appropriation,		\$1,000.00
Orders drawn,		1,000.00

INTEREST ON BONDS

Appropriation,	\$455.00	
Balance from 1939-40,	140.00	
	<hr/>	\$595.00
Orders drawn,		595.00

GEORGE C. LIBBY ESTATE NOTE

Appropriation,		\$1,000.00
Orders drawn,		1,000.00

SALARIES

Appropriation,	\$1,100.00	
Orders drawn,	1,092.50	
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Balance,		\$7.50

MAINTENANCE OF TOWN HALL

Appropriation,	\$150.00	
From Clarence Wales for rent,	88.50	
Leavitt Insurance Agency, dividend,	10.70	
	<hr/>	\$249.20
Orders drawn,		339.06
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Overdraft,		\$89.86

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation,	\$600.00	
Orders drawn,	879.55	
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Overdraft,		\$279.55

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriation,	\$3,500.00	
Received from Alfred Martell,	11.00	
Received from Kenneth Furlong,	6.31	
Received from Donat Labonte,	10.00	
Received from Yvonne Theriault,	2.00	
Received from State Treasurer account of Earle Nelson,	131.17	
Received from Town of Cornish account of Harry Guilmett,	23.00	
Received from City of Portland account of Tuttle family,	35.00	
Received from Eveleen Tuttle,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,723.48
Orders drawn,		5,315.27
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		\$1,591.79
Loan from Excise Tax,		241.53
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Overdraft,		\$1,350.26

The total expense for A. J. Sedgley	
was,	\$2,364.28
Received from sale of grass and sheep,	20.00
	<hr/> *\$2,344.28

*This amount is due from the estate and will be paid.

The total expense for W. E. Chapman	
was,	\$2,518.66
Received from sale of furnishings,	\$496.65
Received from sale of buildings,	760.00
Received from Fidelity Trust	
Company dividend,	87.11
	<hr/> \$1,343.76
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Balance,	\$1,174.90

Bills due Town of Sanford:
 \$653.31 for Soldier's Relief
 80.00 for Albertine Brulotte,

1939 OVERDRAFT OF \$1,423.65 ON POOR

ACCOUNT

Appropriation,	\$230.08
Received from the State of Maine,	153.88
Received from City of Portland,	80.50
Received from Estate of Isabell	
Brown,	418.75
Transfer from Excise Tax,	520.00
	<hr/> \$1,403.21
Due from Town of Skowhegan,	20.44
	<hr/> \$1,403.65

STATE TAX

Appropriation,	\$4,575.62
Orders drawn,	4,575.62

COUNTY TAX

Appropriation,	\$1,143.12
Orders drawn,	1,143.12

OUTSTANDING TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES

Orders drawn,	\$7,900.00
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TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES 1940-41

Orders drawn,	\$12,000.00
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SNOW NOTE

Orders drawn,	\$1,000.00
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TAX LIENS 1940-41

From citizens of Limerick,	\$508.76
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ABATEMENTS-1940

Orders drawn :		
Personal taxes,	\$ 2.07	
Poll taxes,	69.00	
	<hr/>	\$71.07

EXCISE TAX

Orders drawn for collecting,	\$57.50
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TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND

Orders drawn,	\$32.30
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DOG LICENSES

Received from Louisa D. Swasey		
for 1939,	\$ 10.00	
Received from Louisa D. Swasey		
for 1940-41,	185.00	
	<hr/>	\$195.00
Orders drawn,		195.00

ABATEMENTS 1937-38-39

Orders drawn,	\$36.00
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INCIDENTALS

Appropriation,	\$500.00
Received from State Treasurer,	
Bank Stock Tax,	180.46
Received from State Treasurer,	
Railroad and Telegraph Tax,	27.60
Received from Selectmen for licenses,	1.25
Received from B. F. Hayes, tax	
lien charges,	1.92
Received from State Highway	
Commission telephone call to	
Portland,	.30
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	\$711.53
Orders drawn,	\$1,399.43
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Overdraft,	\$687.90
Loan from Excise Tax,	687.90

COUNTY HEALTH NURSE

Appropriation,	\$100.00
Orders drawn,	100.00

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Appropriation,	\$50.00
Orders drawn,	50.00

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation,	\$756.00
Orders drawn,	752.00

Balance	\$4.00
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HYDRANT RENTAL

Appropriation,	\$1,200.00
Orders drawn,	1,200.00

I have carefully examined the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer, from which the foregoing reports were made, and I hereby certify that the same are properly recorded, and believe represent a true condition of the affairs of the Town of Limerick as of February 20, 1941.

ABBIE W. SEILER,
Auditor.

1937 UNPAID POLL TAXES

George LePage,	\$3.00	
Ralph Oliver,	3.00	
Albert Turley,	3.00	
Edgar Woodsome,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$12.00

1938 UNPAID POLL TAXES

Zepherin Martell,	\$3.00	
Walter Smith,	3.00	
Edgar Smith,	3.00	
Richard Wallace,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$12.00

1939 UNPAID POLL TAXES

George LePage,	\$3.00	
Peter LePage,	3.00	
Christopher Lessard, Sr.,	3.00	
Ralph Oliver,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$12.00

1940 UNPAID POLL TAXES

Allen G. Leland,	\$3.00	
George LePage,	3.00	
Hermann LePage,	3.00	
Ralph Oliver,	3.00	
Earle Nelson,	3.00	
Christopher Lessard, Sr.,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$18.00

1937 UNPAID PERSONAL TAXES

James Dobson,	\$ 2.28	
Olga Libby,	2.00	
Fred Stone,	67.83	
John Sutcliffe,	2.00	
Reuben Young,	.83	
Albert Turley,	4.41	
Edgar Woodsome,	15.67	
	<hr/>	\$95.02

1938 UNPAID PERSONAL TAXES

Ernest Hallet,	\$ 2.52	
Olga Libby,	1.96	
John Sutcliffe,	1.96	
Albert Turley,	2.24	
Samuel Kimball,	39.20	
Ernest Woodman,	28.00	
Edgar Smith,	1.68	
Ralph Staples,	18.59	
Ralph Smith,	2.80	
Richard Wallace,	1.12	
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		\$100.07

1939 UNPAID PERSONAL TAXES

Joseph Lucier,	\$ 2.16	
Lewis Martell,	1.77	
Earl Nelson,	5.45	
John Sutcliffe,	1.89	
Lucien Vermette,	1.08	
Charles Whitney,	28.89	
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		\$41.24

1940 UNPAID PERSONAL TAXES

Edmund Dall,	\$11.80	
Edgar Smith,	7.37	
Harris Treadwell,	4.43	
Joe Laberdg,	17.70	
George Griffith, Heirs,	.85	
Lucien Vermette,	1.18	
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		\$43.33

ABATEMENTS**Personal Taxes 1940**

Arthur Murkin, error,	\$2.07
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ABATEMENTS**Poll Taxes 1940**

James E. Brackett, over 70 years of age,	\$3.00
Charles Smith, over 70 years of age,	3.00
Stanley Durgin, paid in Waterboro,	3.00
Linwood Garey, paid in Portland,	3.00
William F. Hasty, paid in Porter,	3.00
George Haley, paid in Limington,	3.00

Christopher Lessard, Jr., paid in	
Skowhegan,	3.00
Charles E. DeCoste, out of town,	3.00
Eugene Foss, out of town,	3.00
Edwin Smith, inability,	3.00
Maurice Treadwell, inability,	3.00
Henry Leland, inability,	3.00
Elmer Nason, Sr., inability,	3.00
Walter King, error,	3.00
Frank Nason, soldier,	3.00
Oliver Libby, soldier,	3.00
Peter LePage, soldier,	3.00
Matthias King, soldier,	3.00
Oscar Gilpatrick, soldier,	3.00
Arnold Dall, soldier,	3.00
Kenneth Watson, soldier,	3.00
Edgar Arnseault, soldier,	3.00
Roland Arnseault, soldier,	3.00
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	\$69.00

ABATEMENTS

Poll Taxes 1937-38-39

Alphonse Blais,	\$6.00
Elmer Nason, Sr.,	6.00
Edwin Smith,	9.00
Maurice Treadwell,	9.00
Lucien Vermette,	3.00
James Di Mezza,	3.00
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	\$36.00

TAX LIENS

Louisa D. and Amelia A. Swasey,	\$35.00
Frank B. Hayes, heirs,	59.00
George Bragdon, heirs,	11.80
George Cotton, heirs,	16.23
George LePage,	7.16
Palphy Martell,	11.80
Frank W. Randall,	8.85
Tracy B. Ryan,	2.95
Clarence Small,	2.95

Edgar Smith,	26.15	
Walter Smith,	10.33	
Wyman C. Smith, heirs,	10.62	
Atwood Stone, heirs,	29.50	
Fred E. Stone,	5.90	
Lottie E. Stone,	8.85	
Hermann K. Tibbetts, heirs,	68.75	
Lucien Vermette,	15.34	
Olga Libby Woodard,	68.14	
Ebenezer Cobb, heirs,	63.72	
Emma Blais,	5.90	
Elias Smith, heirs,	39.82	
	<hr/>	\$508.76

TAX DEEDS

February 20, 1940

	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	Total
Blais, Emma,								\$10.27	\$10.07	\$ 20.34
Boothby, Leland, Heirs,							\$ 7.70	7.67	7.62	22.99
Boothby, Robert,						\$ 7.42	16.07			23.49
Bragdon, E. L.,								11.87		11.87
Bragdon, George, Heirs,			\$15.51	\$17.60	\$16.67		17.67		17.07	84.52
Brown, George B.,									27.87	27.87
Chadbourne, Daniel,				2.63			27.47			30.10
Chapman, Woodman E.,								60.67		60.67
Clarke, Alice E., Heirs,							13.22	13.07		26.29
Cobb, Ebenezer, Heirs,									63.49	63.49
Cotton, George S., Heirs,				20.49	18.97	19.79	20.35	21.07	19.52	120.19
Cousins, Robert and Abram, Heirs,				14.77			9.69			24.46
Estes, Charles,					6.17					6.17
Fenderson, Frank J., Heirs,									18.15	18.15
Foss, James W., Heirs,									41.06	41.06
Gilpatrick, Ruby A.,								14.19	13.85	28.04
Griffith, George, Heirs,							13.22	13.07	12.77	39.06
Hallett, Ernest,		\$45.02	45.84	51.16		50.60		51.99		244.61
Harper, Samuel, Heirs,						114.67				114.67
Labbe, George,								13.13		13.13
Lane, George,				27.12	35.87	30.65		38.27		131.91
Lawton, Louise,							13.39	13.27		26.66
Libby, Olga,					64.73	72.12	72.51	73.31		282.67
Libby, Oliver, Heirs,							30.32			30.32
Lyden, Hattie, Heirs,					12.47	12.92	13.22	13.07		51.68

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Town Clerk's Report

VITAL STATISTICS

As Taken from the Records of the Town

MARRIAGES

1940

February 2, at Limerick, Maurice Tufts of Limerick and Evelyn L. Goodwin of Cornish, by Rev. Lewis A. Jones of Limerick.

February 16, at Limerick, Clinton E. Dunnells of Newfield and Annette E. Joy of Wakefield, N. H., by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

March 28, at Limerick, Leslie D. Ford and Annie J. Field both of Waterboro, by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

April 13, at Waterboro, George W. Chase of Limerick and Hazel Whitney of Waterboro, by Ernest G. Knight, Notary Public, of Waterboro.

April 29, at Limerick, Ambrose M. Pinkham and Ethelyn C. Miles both of Portland, by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

May 23, at Limerick, Philip T. Boulette and Marion E. Meserve both of Parsonsfield, by Rev. A. Jones of Limerick.

May 30, at Limerick, Bernard F. Carroll and Barbara King both of Limerick, by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

June 30, at Limerick, Charles R. Clarrage and Althea E. Wilkinson both of Wells, by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

July 8, at Limerick, Lawrence R. Kenerson of Fryeburg and Sadie M. Holland of Hiram, by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

July 12, at Limerick, John B. Cornellier and Mary M. Morris both of Denmark, by Rev. Arthur J. Dube of Limerick.

July 20, at Limerick, Glenwood R. Duffy of Limerick and Bertha A. Emery of Perry, N. H., by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

July 25, at Limerick, Ralph B. Collins and Flora L. Shirley both of Westbrook, by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

August 3, at Limerick, Alfred Ricard of Waterboro and Herminie S. Dupre of Saco by Rev. Arthur J. Dube of Limerick.

August 3, at Limerick, Walter D. Reed of Newfield and Freda M. Nutter of Parsonsfield by Rev. A. Jones of Limerick.

August 25, at Limerick, Mortimer J. Galvin of Waterbury, Conn., and Margaret R. Hargrave of Wallingford, Conn., by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

September 1, at Limerick, Wilbur V. Brown of Portland and Virginia P. Weikel of South Portland, by Rev. Lewis A. Jones of Limerick.

September 1, at Standish, Harold E. Cobb and Rose A. Brisson both of Limerick, by C. Mable Nason Cole, Justice of Peace, at Standish.

September 2, at Limerick, Edward L. King and Alice F. Morrill, both of Limerick by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

September 2, at Limerick, Edward A. Nevison of Sanford and Barbara A. Howe of Springvale, by Rev. A. Jones of Limerick.

September 16, at Limerick, Maurice J. Doyle of Lawrence, Massachusetts and Doris Brodie of Methuen, Massachusetts, by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

September 28, at Limerick, Andre Dumont and Doris Haycock both of Limerick by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

October 5, at Limerick, Gordon C. West and Velma L. Eastman both of Porter, by Rev. Lewis A. Jones of Limerick.

October 10, at Limerick, Philip E. Green of Lyman and Eloise E. Roberts of Waterboro, by Rev. Lewis A. Jones of Limerick.

October 19, at Limerick, Stanley E. Haskell and Beatrice J. Pinkham both of Limerick, by Rev. Charles W. Squires of Limerick.

November 10, at Limerick, Erwin L. Day of Porter and Sophie Jasiecki of Denmark, by Rev. Neil A. Burke of Limerick.

November 14, at Limerick, Arnold W. Chick and Perle T. Benson both of Limington, by Rev. Lewis A. Jones of Limerick.

November 16, at Waterboro, Cecil E. Sadler and Jennie M. Staples both of Limerick, by Rev. Austin E. Davis of Waterboro.

November 17, at South Berwick, James A. Wightman of Limerick and Elizabeth M. Hackett of Manchester, N. H., by Herbert M. Worthley, South Berwick.
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January 22, at Limerick, Gordon A. Smith and Dorothy B. Sanborn both of Standish by Rev. Lewis A. Jones of Limerick.

BIRTHS

1940

February 27, Gloria Mae. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson. W

March 14, Normand Paul. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo P. Taillon. T

March 16, Charles Barry. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martell. M

March 20, Rachel Alice. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Philpot. P

May 22, Robert Wilson. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orman Hartford.

May 25, Sandra May. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Pinkham. T

May 31, Stephen Francis. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gilpatrick. F

August 9, Boyd Rodger. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hambleton. H

August 18, William Eugene. Parent, Mrs. Martin Tuttle. T

August 29, Pearl Edith. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sanborn. S

November 11, Phillipe Jacques. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Vermette. V

November 17, Leonard Ovide and Leon Emile. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lucier. L

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January 8, Starr. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jordan. J

DEATHS

1940

February 7, at Limerick, Hannah M. Lowell, age 87
yrs. 2 mos. 27 days.

February 26, at Limerick, Ann C. Brackett, age 67 yrs.
11 mos. 2 days.

April 8, at New York, Harlan E. Knight, age 65 yrs.
April 13, at Limerick, Athalie G. Averill, age 18 yrs. 4
mos. 1 day.

May 18, at Limerick, Levina E. Southworth, age 64
yrs. 6 mos. 8 days.

June 21, at Limerick, James A. FitzGerald, age 63 yrs.
11 mos. 16 days.

July 7, at Limerick, Anna W. Crowell, age 65 yrs. 6
mos. 8 days.

July 18, at Limerick, George A. Mitchell, age 76 yrs.
6 mos. 5 days.

August 3, at Limerick, Albert J. Sedgley, age 92 yrs.
4 mos. 2 days.

September 13, at Limerick, Vesta Walker, age 78 yrs.
6 mos. 27 days.

October 5, at Limerick, George E. Haskell, age 65 yrs.
1 mo. 3 days.

December 9, at Limerick, Ada A. Patterson, age 78
yrs. 2 mos. 17 days.

December 14, at Limerick, Roy O. Lucier, age 5 yrs. 6
mos. 6 days.

December 25, at Limerick, Emma M. Boothby, age 81
yrs. 2 mos. 1 day.

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January 9, at Limerick, Myra F. Lougee, age 81 yrs. 8 mos. 14 days. L

January 19, at Limerick, George E. Lane, age 76 yrs. 0 mos. 6 days. L

January 28, at Limerick, Woodman P. Chapman, age 85 yrs. 1 mo. 16 days.

January 31, at Limerick, George O. Small, age 78 yrs. 3 mos. 29 days. S

February 9, at Limerick, Sarah J. Lord, age 77 yrs. 1 mo. 21 days. L

February 11, at Limerick, Delia R. Paradis, age 57 yrs. 11 mos. 27 days. P

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Limerick:

The annual report of the schools of Limerick is herewith submitted.

According to the school census of last year, there are in Limerick one hundred seventy-three boys and one hundred thirty-seven girls between the ages of five and twenty-one. Two hundred one of that number are registered in the elementary schools of the town and are classified as follows:

Sub Primary,	18
Grade 1,	25
Grade 2,	25
Grade 3,	24
Grade 4,	34
Grade 5,	23
Grade 6,	17
Grade 7,	18
Grade 8,	17

For registration of high school pupils, I refer you to the report of the Principal.

There has been one change in the teaching personnel. At the beginning of the present term, Miss Rose M. Moulton, after continuous service of thirty-eight years, was compelled to resign her position in Grade 1, owing to illness. This vacancy has been filled by the election of Mrs. Harriet Whittaker, who resigned from the Superintending School Committee to accept the position.

It will be seen by consulting the accompanying financial Statement that funds were available for maintaining a fiscal year of thirty-seven weeks for elementary schools and thirty-nine weeks for the high school, as against thirty-three for elementary and thirty-five for high in the previous year. By this arrangement the fiscal school year ends with the fiscal year for the town.

Owing to a prevalence of epidemics, schools were closed for two weeks. Attendance has been somewhat reduced for the same reason. Time, thus lost, is being made up by Saturday sessions and a week to be added at the end of the year.

In this report, I should like to call your attention to an article in the Maine State School Bulletin written by the Commissioner of Education, Dr. Bertram E. Packard. It reads in part as follows: "In these troubled times we are realizing and emphasizing the necessity for national defense. We are almost without exception in favor of a strong defense program, but let me point out that in an American democracy like ours our first line of defense is not the army, the navy, or the air forces. It is true these things must be provided in order to protect us from outside invasion. There are, however, insidious and pernicious forces working within our democracy which are more to be feared than any invasion from without. Such forces can be combated only by a strong and well-supported system of public education.

"From our earliest days, we have realized the necessity and value of public education as a basic factor in the making of a democracy. If democracy has been successful, and I believe no thinking citizen would have the temerity to challenge the statement that it has been successful, it has been due to the fact that throughout the years of our history the ideas of the founding fathers have been carried out, namely, that a system of free universal, public, education has been provided for our youth. So today in this critical period as never before in our history as a state and as a nation, public education is our first line of defense."

In closing may I thank the Committee, the Teachers, and the Citizens for friendly cooperation shown during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools.

LIMERICK SCHOOL REPORT

RESOURCES

Appropriation, March 1940,	\$9,150.00	
State School Fund,	1,411.50	
	<hr/>	\$10,561.50
Deficit, February, 1940,	54.66	
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Total Resources,		\$10,506.84

EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Secondary	
Teachers,	\$3,732.00	\$2,757.16	
Fuel,	143.00	125.99	
Janitors,	550.50	302.00	
Conveyance,	2,311.58		
Text Books,	134.68	119.36	
Supplies,	196.22	132.76	
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	\$7,067.98	\$3,437.27	
Total Expenditures,			\$10,505.25
Balance, February, 1941,			1.59
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			\$10,506.84

EXPENDITURES ITEMIZED

Teachers:

Frances S. Tufts,	\$703.00	
Flora E. Perrin,	703.00	
Helen L. Watson,	703.00	
Alice R. Durgin,	703.00	
Rose M. Moulton,	589.00	
Harriet Whittaker,	114.00	
Helen M. Dolley,	217.00	\$ 49.00
Dwight D. Libby,		1,733.16
Annie E. Ferguson,		975.00
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	\$3,732.00	\$2,757.16
Total,		\$6,489.16

Fuel:

Lloyd Gilpatrick,	\$ 3.00	
Harry W. Hill,	40.00	\$ 36.05
A. W. Wright,	100.00	89.94
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	\$143.00	\$125.99

Total, \$268.99

Janitors:

Charles F. Dudley,	\$ 20.00	
Alfred Martell,	16.00	
James Gordon,	12.00	
L. W. Carpenter,	2.50	\$ 2.00
Alton G. Johnston,	500.00	300.00
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	\$550.50	\$302.00

Total, \$852.50

Conveyance:

John King,	\$925.00
George Taylor,	620.00
Samuel Taylor,	120.00
Amelia Swasey,	388.50
Alice R. Durgin,	185.00
LeRoi S. Sypher's Ins. Agency,	68.59
Melville Woodman, Inc.,	4.49
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Total, \$2,311.58

Text Books:

Scott, Foresman & Co.,	\$23.69	
Education Safety League,	19.75	
C. C. Birchard & Co.,	2.28	
World Book Co.,	16.59	
Silver Burdett & Co.,	1.50	
L. S. Beal,	8.00	\$ 5.00
Ginn & Co.,	44.17	34.74
The Macmillan Co.,	18.70	1.36
Lorenz Publishing Co.,		9.76
Funk Wagnalls Co.,		5.30
News Map of the Week,		15.00
Lyons & Carnahan,		10.49

Allyn & Bacon,	23.80	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	2.08	
Time,	3.75	
Educational Service Bureau,	8.08	
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	\$134.68	\$119.36
Total,		\$254.04
Supplies:		
The Pioneer Manu- facturing Co.,	\$14.47	
Howard & Brown,	5.95	
Glen W. Starkey,	9.07	
Maine Pub. Health Association,	.50	
Ernest G. Knights,	1.50	
Maynard E. Wright,	2.42	
H. H. Hay & Sons,	2.40	
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	2.80	\$14.05
New Eng. Tel & Tel. Co.,	21.35	21.40
Central Maine Pow. Co.,	44.64	20.65
Amos Barraclough,	2.07	1.00
Alton G. Johnston,	8.50	3.84
Berry Paper Co.,	7.75	5.00
The Papercrafters,	25.00	18.37
The Holmerden Co.,	12.00	8.00
C. B. Dolge Co.,	5.69	1.00
E. A. Sadler, Inc.,	15.28	2.29
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	4.52	1.65
Ginn & Co.,	4.26	1.64
Milton Bradley Co.,	2.00	.93
The Glover Products Co.,	4.00	2.00
Clifton Chemical Co.,		5.75
Roberts Office Supply Co.,		10.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,		11.44
Kinney & Frost, Inc.,		3.75
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	\$196.17	\$132.76
Total,		\$328.93

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

Resources:

Appropriation, March, 1940,	\$400.00
Deficit, February, 1940,	30.27

Total Resources,	\$369.73
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Expenditures:

LeRoi S. Syphers

Ins. Agency,	\$150.00	\$133.33
E. A. Sadler, Inc.,	5.55	2.91
Charles F. Dudley,	8.00	4.00
L. E. Kendall & Co.,	5.65	2.00
Alton G. Johnston,	1.50	1.00
L. C. Andrew,	3.04	2.00
C. B. Dolge Co.,	16.00	10.00
Burges-Fobes Co.,	1.88	1.00
Warren & Gatchell,		3.50

\$191.62	\$159.74
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Total Expenditures,	\$351.36
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Balance, February, 1941,	18.37
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 \$369.73

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

Appropriation, March, 1940,	\$275.00
Paid Maynard E. Wright,	275.00

Report of Principal of the High School

*To the Superintendent of Schools, School Committee, and
Citizens of Limerick:*

I herewith submit my fifth annual report as principal of Limerick High School.

On the opening date, Sept. 9, 1940, fifty-six pupils registered, twenty-nine boys and twenty-seven girls, distributed by classes as follows: Seniors, twelve; Juniors, nine; Sophomores, fourteen; Freshmen, twenty-one. I believe this is the largest enrollment for several years.

Our program of studies, operating on a rotating schedule, five one-hour classes daily, is:

Algebra 2	English 1
Business Arithmetic	Latin 2
Algebra 1	English 4
Geometry	English 2
Biology	French 1
Business Training	U. S. History
Physics	Civics 1

The program includes an Activities period, of one hour, once in three days. This period is devoted to assemblies, rehearsals, class meetings, and other school functions. Due to lack of adequate space and equipment, we can meet only the minimum requirements in Physical Education so vital to all pupils.

It is possible for the school to offer only two courses of study,—the College Preparatory and the English or general course. Either course prepares for college, however, if the pupil selects the proper subjects. If one or two Vocational courses could be introduced, such as Home Economics or Agriculture and Shopwork, the number of pupils leaving school because of a dislike of subjects of no practical use to them, would be reduced to a minimum.

Because of the scarlet fever and influenza epidemics, all of our activities have been interrupted somewhat. We hope to complete the prescribed work on schedule.

The Boys' horseshoe team, piloted by "Bobby" Edgerly, won the tournament again this year, securing a trophy for the school and medals for the team members.

The Senior Class presented the drama, "Oh Promise Me," on February 19. The School Orchestra provided music for the play.

The school will be represented in the County Public Speaking Contest to be held April 25.

We are proud of our own publication of the "Sokokis." It gives our boys and girls an opportunity to accomplish something worthwhile as an extra-curricular activity.

We have also attempted to increase our library facilities this year. Several fiction books have been contributed by different pupils. Mrs. Charles O. Caswell, of Portland, presented the school nearly three hundred books of science from the library of the late Dr. Caswell. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown donated a large number of National Geographic magazines. The school appreciates these donations and will welcome contributions at any time, especially work of fiction.

I wish to take this opportunity to quote a few lines from a recent State School Bulletin: "Public education must move forward.—Education means abundant life. To make life progressive, practical, friendly, co-operative, dynamic and idealistic is the major objective of our educational system.—The responsibility of every individual is to insure our boys and girls of their inherent birthright—the best educational offering the municipality can afford."

To all who have, in any way, helped in our school program again this year, I am grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

DWIGHT L. LIBBY,

Principal.

Report of the Supervisor of Music

To the Superintendent of Schools, School Board, and Citizens of Limerick:

I herewith submit the following report of school music for the past year:

There is little variation in routine work in either high school or the grades as far as theory and technicalities are concerned from year to year. Despite many interruptions in school sessions the teachers have faithfully carried on their work in their respective departments with satisfactory results.

Through the kindness of the Bisbees and Miss Ferguson with their cars, a group from the H. M. D. music club were enabled to attend the Federation Junior day at Gardiner last May and sing in the largest massed Junior chorus,—over one hundred voices—the convention has ever assembled.

The high school chorus was represented in the graduation pageant.

In September a group sang in the County chorus at the Teachers' Convention in Kennebunk. We hope to enter the all state chorus at the Western Maine Music Festival in Portland on May 17th.

I consider all these outside contacts with the larger singing groups to be of great value to all the students.

The Junior high school is carrying out a project, under the efficient direction of Mrs. Tufts, called "Building an Orchestra" with cut outs of the instrument players mounted on small supports and arranged on the diagram of an orchestra with properly balanced parts. Their note books record descriptions of the different instruments, etc.

The efficient work of Mr. and Mrs. Gatchell in the orchestra department will be commented on elsewhere.

It is with very sincere regret that we learn of the resignation of Miss Rose Moulton from the teaching staff. Her accomplishments in the field of music from her own first grade classes throughout the grades and high school have

been outstanding in their success. I feel under great personal obligation to her for the ready response to any demand placed upon her.

I am very grateful to our superintendent, school board and all our teachers for their cordial co-operation and support throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. DOLLEY,

Supervisor of Music.

Limerick, Jan. 29, 1941.

Public health nursing is concerned with securing and maintaining better health for all members of the community. Recognizing that whatever is done to assure physical and mental health during maternity, infancy, childhood, and youth will affect the health of the adult population, we have, as in the past, placed most emphasis on the work with the pregnant mother, the infant and the preschool child.

During the year 7 visits were made to prenatal patients to help them carry out the physician's orders and help plan for delivery, or if not yet under care, to urge them to secure medical advice as soon as possible.

Twenty visits were made to young infants to urge the mother to keep the baby under medical supervision, to have him vaccinated against smallpox and immunized against diphtheria. When necessary, the nurse assisted the mother in planning a daily regime for the baby. Special emphasis was placed on communicable disease which takes such a heavy toll in childhood.

The public health nurse visited 33 preschool children in their homes and assisted the mother in carrying out the instructions of the physician regarding diet, clothing, sleep, or gave help in solving some emotional problem.

Arrangements were made for 4 crippled children to attend one of the clinics conducted by the Bureau of Health. Follow-up visits were made in the home to assist the family with the care of the patient.

Well Child Conferences are held to give the child whose parents cannot afford routine visits to their own doctor, the benefit of instruction about feedings, vaccination and immunization, and an opportunity to have physical and dental defects detected and plans made for their correction. It is hoped that during the coming year, it will be possible with the aid of a local committee to hold these conferences regularly in Limerick, thereby following each child carefully.

Report of Public Health Nurse

To the Citizens of the Town of Limerick, I hereby submit my annual report as public health nurse for the year 1940

The health work was begun in February when all rooms of the schoolhouse were given the regular health inspection. Home visits have been made on children found with defects and to urge and assist in the needed corrections. Visits have been made to the homes of school children ill with pulmonary and with childhood tuberculosis, also to the other children ill in their homes. One school child, found by her family physician to have a suspicious tuberculous condition, was referred to the clinic at the Children's Hospital in Portland.

Plans for the tuberculosis Early Diagnosis Campaign were begun in March. Posters and pamphlets were given the appointed chairman of the Research Club for distribution throughout the town during the Campaign month of April. The High School was visited and the pupils invited to enter the tuberculosis editorial and slogan contests, also being held during the Campaign month. The slogan, chosen by the Maine Public Health Association as the prize winner, was "Strike out T. B. Before the Fatal Inning!" Miss Vesta Smith of Sangerville was the author.

The following is a report of the health inspection completed at school for the year 1940.

Pupils inspected,	222
Pupils with defects,	64
Defects found:	
Vision,	6
Hearing,	2
Teeth,	47
Unclean teeth,	16
Throats,	7
Evidence of skin disease,	1
Evidence of pediculosis,	2
Posture,	3
Corrections made during year:	
Vision,	8
Teeth,	36
Throats,	8

The Grammar School earned achievement for school health. Ninety pupils qualified for the Seven Point award and grades 5-6 and 7-8 received 50% Dental Certificates. These awards are promoted and encouraged by the Nurse in her work with the schools, and children unable to help themselves are assisted in securing corrections.

In closing, I wish to thank all who have in any way contributed to the success of the health work this year.

Respectfully submitted,

OLIVE TWICHELL, R. N.

Public Health Nurse for York County.

Report of the Limerick Fire Department

To the Citizens of Limerick:

I am pleased to submit a report of the activities of the Fire Department for the year 1940-41. We have had no major fires in Limerick during the past year. The Department was called out for sixteen chimney fires, six grass fires, one truck fire, two brush fires and four outside calls. During these calls the Department laid 600 feet of 2½ inch hose, 800 feet of 1½ inch hose, 200 feet of 1 inch chemical hose and raised 650 feet of ladders.

The holding of the regular Block Party was the only activity during the year.

I am sorry to say that owing to repairs that had to be made on the truck the Department has overrun the appropriation. The truck was bought in 1928, and this is the first repairs we have had to make on it. We are now able to pick up suction in four seconds. We also had to have new brakes as the old ones were much worn.

The Department wishes to take this opportunity to thank the citizens again for their earnest support, which we hope to continue to merit.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. MORRILL,

Fire Chief.

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